

The Caledonian Mercury.

Edinburgh, Thursday, October 13, 1726.

From the Flying Post, Octob. 6.

Rome, Sept. 21.

ON the 18th Instant there was a Publick Consistory for the Canonisation of six new Saints, whose Lives and Miracles were then and there set forth in very fine Latin Speeches by the Proctors of the Consistory. Cardinal Pereira was present at it, notwithstanding all his Menaces to leave this City, and 'tis observed, that the other Portuguese Gentlemen are not quite so angry as they were at the Promotion of the Cardinal de Fleury.

From the St. James's Evening-Post, Oct. 6.

Constantinople, Aug. 28. For some Days past the Plague is considerably abated, the Number of the Dead being lessened above one Half; yet the Grand Signior is still shut up in his Seraglio. We have received Advice, that the Distemper is almost ceased at Smyrna, and that the Roman Catholicks there have sung Te Deum for the Deliverance. The Greeks and Armenians have also opened their Churches again, and all the Inhabitants in general have likewise renewed their Commerce as before. However uncertain the News is from our Army in Persia, 'tis plain that our Affairs are not in so good a Condition there as one could wish, and that some of the principal Officers are actually threatened with the Loss of their Heads.

Vienna, Sept. 28. The Emperor being resolved more and more to favour the two Companies of Trieste and Ostend, they talk again of the Plan proposed three Years ago for uniting those two Companies, and a general Prohibition has been published, for introducing the India Goods, &c. into the Emperor's Dominions from any other Place but directly from Ostend and Trieste: And 'tis hoped that the Electors and the other Princes of the Empire who are in the Interest of the House of Austria, will herein follow the Intentions of his Imperial Majesty.

Geneva, Oct. 2. A Man of Quality being retired hither with a Girl that he took away from a Nunnery at Lyons, and another Woman who helped to bring her from thence, the Resident of France has obtained Leave to get them apprehended.

Benefit TICKETS drawn on Tuesday the 4th, and Wednesday the 5th, being the 14th and 15th Days.

Num.	Value.	Num.	Value.	Num.	Value
81493	100	48633	100	69021	100
5297	500	83715	100	82137	100
64096	100	82647	100	54807	100
55747	2000	65341	4000	11681	100
69762	100	42990	100	43129	100
4802	100	42706	500	78443	100
65751	100	37197	5000	78762	100
25827	1000	55830	500	51078	100

And 256 of 20 L. each

Total drawn from the Beginning, 2148.

From the Evening Post, Oct. 6.

London, Oct. 6. A Patent is preparing to pass the Seals for Sir Hugh Paterson of Bannockburn, Bart. attainted of High Treason.

Paris, Oct. 12. On the 8th Inst. Mr. Morosini Ambassador of Venice, had at Fountainbleau his Audience of Leave, and intends to return home shortly.

From the Amsterdam Gazette, Oct. 8.

Vienna, Sept. 25. General Merci presented lately to the Emperor the Picture of a Man and his Wife who have been married together 147 Years in that Part of Wallachia which belongs to his Imperial Majesty. Their oldest Son, who is 116 Years, sees his 4th Generation, the youngest whereof is 26 Years old.

From St. Petersburg, Sept. 17. On the 11th our Empress, after having in th' Amazon Habit celebrated the Feast of St. Alexander, and th' Anniversary of the Peace concluded with Swedland, went to the Palace of Prince Alexander de Menzicoff, where she conferred the Order of St. Alexander on Mr. Lefort Envoy Extraordinary of the King of Poland.

From Mittau, Sept. 23. The 19th Mr. Jagousinski, the Minister of Russia, arrived here, and proceeded next Morning for Grodno; where the Fiscal of the Council of Courland was also expected, with a Commission from Duke Ferdinand our Sovereign. The Russian Troops which were encamped near the Dvina, have received Orders to retire and take their Quarters in Livonia.

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From Copenhagen, Sept. 28. Tomorrow our Court will go into Mourning on account of the Death of the Duchess of Orleans, as likewise for that of Prince Maximilian of Hanover.

From Vienna, Sept. 25. The Count de Kinski is every Day expected at Court from Bohemia, in order to prepare for his Embassy to the Court of France.

From Dusseldorf, Octob. 1. The 25th past, the Estates of Juliers and Bergue opened their Diet at the Palace: Our Elector (Palatine) has made a Demand of an extraordinary Sum, for the Expence of the new Fortifications a-making in this Electorate, for the Augmentation of the Troops, and the Remounting of the Cavalry. The Regiments formerly consisting of 1200 Men, are to be 1500 complete. The most Part of our Troops have Orders to get themselves in Readiness for a March against the Beginning of next March. They talk of raising two Regiments more in the Dutches of Bergue and Juliers, one of Horse and another of Foot.

From Paris.--- The Queen arrived last Thursday at Night at Fontainbleau, whither the King did not return from Hunting till 9 o'clock: Their Majesties lay together as formerly. The 26th the Assembly of the Clergy went in a Body, according to Custom, to wait of the Cardinal de Noailles. The Marchioness of Pierpoint, who fled to the House of M. Doriade, a Gentleman of the Neighbourhood of Beauvais, her Husband having assassinat'd in her Presence, purely on the Score of Jealousy, Mr. de Martainneville, was seized lately by the Grand Pre-vot of Beauvois, and brought in here. 'Tis said the Marquis is fled over into England.

From Brussels, Oct. 3. We hear they have found out a new Fund for the Payment of the 6 Months Arrears, due to the Troops at Augst last. The most Serene Governess continues favourably to take Notice of whatever is proposed to her Highness that may tend to the Advantage of this Country, and causes examine with Attention the Plans and Projects for that Effect.

From the Supplement to the Amsterdam Gazette, Oct. 8.

From the Frontiers of Poland, Sept. 12. The Commission formerly mentioned, for regulating the Limits between the Emperor and Poland, having at last been resolv'd on and fix'd, the Procession of the Imperial Commissaries was made at Sulau on the Frontiers of Poland, in the following Manner.

I. The Valet de Chamber of Count de Burghaus, followed by 24 Attendants on Horseback.

II. Mr. Prezigoda, with 3 Led-horses.

III. The Gentleman of Horse to the Count de No-

stiz, followed by 5 Led-horses of the Commissaries. IV. A Coach and 4 Horses, wherein were three Gentlemen, viz. The Count de Malzan, and Mrs. Niesemeichel and Niembs, with their Lacqueys behind the Coach.

V. A Coach and six Bay Horses, wherin was the Chaplain of the Court, with my Lord Register; 3 Lacqueys behind, and four Footmen before.

VI. A Coach and six white Horse, wherein was Count William de Bourghaus, with two Gentlemen of the Court, having eight Domesticks.

VII. Three Couriers of the Lords Commissaries.

VIII. A Coach and six Horses, wherein were the Lords Commissaries, the Counts of Nostleiz and Gelhorn, and Baron Schweinitz, preceeded by 12 Lacqueys: Two Heydiuques marched by the Side of the Coach, which were followed by eight Gentlemen on Horseback, and 4 Officers of the Lords Commissaries.

IX. Two Coaches of State empty, of the Commissaries, with six black Horses each.

X. Twenty Attendants on Horseback.

XI. A Coach and 4 Horses, wherein were three Officers.

XII. A Coach and 4 Horses wherein were the Engeniers.

XIII. A Coach and 5 Horses, wherein was the Advocate and Secretary of Count de Burghaus.

At their stepping out of Coach, the Commissaries met the Count d'Hazfeldt, with 3 Gentlemen, 6 Officers, the Intendant of the Forests, the Verdurier, the Secretary, the Officers of the Chahcery, with 2 Couriers, 2 Heiduques, 4 Laqueys, and several Gentlemen of the Country. The Commissaries furthwith repair'd to the Tent, and which was pitch'd near the Forest, and guarded by the Citizens. There was in it a Table covered with red Damask, with 3 Chairs on each Side: The Imperial Commissaries seated themselves on the Right thereof, as did those of Poland on the Left. Then the Count de Gelhorn made a Discourse in Latin, and was answered on the Part of those of Poland. After which having held a particular Conference, it was agreed, That the Commission of the Limits was not to be execute at Sulau, but at Hernstadt, whither the Commissaries will repair after Tomorrow.

Follows the March of the Palovian Commissaries, as they came to the Place of Conference.

I. Eighteen Attendants on Horseback, with the Led horses of the Commissaries.

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II. A Coach and six Pyot-coloured Horses, in ing favoured by the Night, got into the
which fate the Polish Registers, and the Chaplain hour of Cadix.
of the Court.

III. A Coach and 6 Sorrel Horses, wherein were
the Senators of Great Poland, and the two other
Commissaries Radzkiows and Poninski, at their
Side marched 6 Lacqueys and two Heyduques.

IV. A Coach and six Horses, wherein were two
Gentlemen. The March was closed by a Train of
about 20 Polish Horsemen.

Wye's Letter, verbatim, October 8.

No Foreign Mails this Post.

According to some Advices from Spain, the Court
of Madrid continues to take all Precautions
possible to secure their Coasts from Surprise. Up-
on the Whole, we cannot yet learn that his Ca-
tholick Majesty is disposed to agree with the Terms
proposed for preserving Peace upon a just and equi-
table Foundation; so that it must be absurd for a
any to suppose that his Catholick Majesty is exasper-
ated at the Measures taken for obtaining these so
good Ends, tho' some Accounts insinuate, that he
stands firmer and firmer in his Engagements with
the Emperor.

Extract of a Letter from Cadiz. Sept. 24 N. S.

Last Night arrived here a Small Advice Boat
from Porto Bello, with the following Account of
what lately happened there, viz. That the Galle-
ons sold off their Goods well, and that a good Quan-
tity of Money brought to the Fair remained undis-
posed of, for want of more European Commodities:
That when Admiral Hosier appeared off of that
Port, the Governour sent to know what he wanted;
and the Answer was *The Royal George*, which
thereupon was dispatch'd away with all Expedition;
after that the Governour sent again desiring him
to be gone, but was answered that he would stay
till he received further Orders, and thereupon sent
a Man of War to lie within Reach of the Guns of
Porto Bello, which remained there: That the Tre-
asure consisting of 26 Millions of Pieces of Eight,
was carried ten Leagues up into the Country; also
that the Flota arrived at the Havana from la Vera
Cruz July 9, and the Treasure of it landed, being
about 16 Millions of Pieces of Eight: That the En-
glish Squadron suffered no Ships to go in or come out
of Porto Bello without strict Examination, but not
taking from them any Seamen that were Spaniards.
'Tis added that the said Advice Boat was chased off with the Title of Minister of the Duke of Hol-
Cape St. Mary by an English Man of War, but be-

By Letters from the S. S. Companies Agent at
Madrid, its advised that the Marquis de Grimaldo,
Secretary of State is ordered to retire to his House,
and the Marquis de Castellino, and his Brother Don
Joseph Patino, are promoted to the Honour of the
King's Treasurers, as well as Mr. Orendaine Chief
Minister for Foreign Affairs. That Father Willi-
am Clerk, Rector of the Scots Jesuits at Madrid,
was sent to St. Ildefonso, to succeed Father Bermu-
das, who was the King's Confessor. 'Tis added,
That 2 Negro Ships belonging to the South Sea
Company, are stopped at the Havana.

All the Talk now is of War: But his Majesty's
Speech, which is expected with as much Impatience
as any that has come from the Throne these many
Years, will enable us to form a true Judgement
thereof: For 'tis easy to believe, that under the
present Situation of Affairs, Stories will be daily
hatching, and false Accounts spread by ill designing
Men.

They write from Dublin, that on the 28th past
at five in the Morning a great Quarrel happened
betwixt some Officers of the Army and the Watch
of St. Warburgh and those of the 8 other Parishes;
and after a sharp Engagement, wherein severals
were wounded on both Sides, the latter were obli-
ged to fly to the Watch-house for Shelter, where
the Soldiers fired in upon them, and killed one of
the Watchmen; for which the Captain of th'Guard
had his Commission taken from, and two other Of-
ficers and 4 Soldiers committed to Newgate.

The same Day died of the Cholick Colonel St.
George, reputed to be worth 120,000 L. and ha-
ving no Issue has left large Legacies to charitable
Uses.

The late D. of Ormond, and the late Earl Mar-
shal, &c. [as more fully below from the London Gazette]

From the London Gazette, Octob. 8.

Madrid, Sept. 30. The 23d Inst. being the Birth-
day of the Prince of Asturias, who then entred in
to his 13th Year, (by which, according to the Cu-
stom of Spain, he is come of Age) most of the No-
bility and Grandees went to St. Ildefonso to com-
pliment their Catholick Majesties and the Prince,
and to kiss their Hands. Count Vander Nat, a
Nobleman of Holstein, is expected here very soon
'Tis added that the said Minister of the Duke of Hol-
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stein. The Duke of Wharton having received from Court Part of his Lady's Portion, has given Entertainments and Balls at Caramanchel, and talks of setting out for Rome as soon as he shall have receiv'd the rest of the said Portion. The late Duke of Ormond, and the late Earl Marshal are at St. Ildefonso. Letters from St. Andero of the 15th relate, that the Day before the 2 Spanish Men of War the St. Philip and St. Charles, of 60 Guns each, sailed from that Port for the W. Indies, having on board 600 Soldiers.

From the St. James's Evening Post, Octob. 8.

Hamburg, Sept. 24. The Magistrates of this City have received a new Rescript from the Court of Vienna, whereby they are most earnestly enjoined to make no Application or Address whatsoever to the King of Great Britain as Elector of Hanover, and actual Possessor of the secularized Bishoprick of Bremen, relating to the Affair of the Minister introduced into the Cathedral of Hamburg, or others in the Jurisdiction of the Holy Roman Empire; because the Investiture of the said Bishoprick is again deferred for Reasons of Importance. Nevertheless we are assured, that the Magistrates have appointed 3 Deputies to go to Hanover, in order to bring the Affair to the best Issue they can.

London, Oct. 8. A Prize of 1000 L. came up last Day to the Countess of Forfar.

We hear the Lords of the Admiralty have come to a Resolution to continue the Seamen in Pay till there shall be a settled Peace in Europe; and that a Bill will be brought into Parliament to the like Effect, and to give them Encouragement beyond that of any other Nation.

A Pardon is preparing to pass the Seals for John Sinclair, Esq; Attainted in the first Year of his Majesty's Reign for levying War against his Majesty.

S. S. Stock 102 18th.

From the Daily Journal, Octob. 8.

Lisbon, Sept. 21. Vice Admiral Hopson, who lately cruised in the Height of Corunna with 4 Ships under his Command, has entered the Tagus; where are also arrived the Winchester and Swallow, who were to sail furthwith for the Mediterranean to join Admiral Jennings.

London, Oct. 8. 'Tis now said that the Rt. Hon. the Earl of Stair will go Governor of Jamaica.

We hear that the Parliament will not meet for the Dispatch of Business till after Christmas.

Sir John Jennings is ordered home with the four largest Ships of his Squadron, the rest being to remain in the Mediterranean under Admiral Hopson.

Edinburgh, Octob. 13. The other Day five Sculls were found in a Box, as they were digging in Lauriston-Yards; they are supposed to be the Remains of some of those who suffered in the Reign of King Charles II. and whose Heads were put in publick Places, for their Accession to the then *Unnatural*: However, numberless Stations, Peregriinations, &c. are made to these Reliques.

A D V E R T I S E M E N T S.

* ** That the good Ship the JOHN OF ANSTRU-
THER, Philip Brown Junior Master, Burden one Hun-
dred and twenty Tons, is to be exposed to Sale by Way of
Voluntary Roup, on Tuesday the 25th of October Instant,
betwixt the Hours of three and four Afternoon, at the
House of Mrs. Innes Vintner on the *Shoar* of Leith. The
Inventar and Conditions of Roup, are to be seen in the
Hands of Alexander Innes, Depute Clerk of Leith. And at
the Laigh Coffeehouse in Edinburgh.

Fishery Office, Sept. 6, 1726.

The MANAGERS of the Copartnery are to Expose to
publick Sale at their Office on *Tuesday* the EIGHTEENTH
of October next, at Three after Noon, at the following low
Rates for the Encouragement of Bidders, viz: — One Lot,
containing 7 C. 1 Qr. 23 lb. Colls and Pieces of new Ropes,
at 25 sh. per Hundred. — One ditto, containing 4 new
Herring-Nets, at 3 L. sterl. each Net. — Eight ditto,
containing 110 undress'd Nets, at 10 sh. sterl. each Net. —
Utensils for a Twine work per Inventary, to be set up at
L. 9. 17. 8. sterl. — Ditto, for the Cod-fishing as per
Inventory, to be set up at L. 14. 1. 8. sterl. — Ditto
for a Barking-house per ditto, to be set up at L. 14. 16. 4.

The above Goods will be shewn at Leith by *David Daez*
the Copartnery's Agent; and the Inventary and Articles of
Roup, at the Copartnery's Office in the *Lawn-market*.

* ** On Thursday the 20th of this present Month of O-
ctober, at the Town of Thornhill, pertaining to James
Drummond of Blair Drummond, lying betwixt the Rivers
of Forth and Taith, six Miles West of Stirling, continues
to be held the yearly Fair for Horses, Black Cattle, Sheep's
Cloath, &c. free of all Customs. A Saddle to be run for by
Galloways.

CHARLES MACKY History Professor in
the University of Edinburgh, opens his Colleges of
General History and Roman Antiquities, upon Thurs-
day the 10th of November next.

* ** On the first *Wednesday* of November 1726, the Col-
leges of Medicine formerly advertised, begin in the follow-
ing Order, viz: — The INSTITUTIONS by Dr. Sr.
Clair, atten Forenoon; — The PRACTICE, by
Dr. Innes at eleven; — CHEMIE, by Dr. Innes at
twelve: These three in the Chemical Elabaratory at the
Head of Robertson's Close: — MATERIA ME-
DICA, by Dr. Alton, at two Afternoon, in the Physicians
Hall; — ANATOMY, by Mr. Monro, at three, in
the Anatomical Theatre of the College of Edinburgh.